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Appl. No. 10/790,418
Docket No. 9562
Amdt. dated March 7, 2007
Reply to Office Action mailed on December 8, 2006
Customer No. 27752

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 1, with the following amended paragraph:

"Pantiliners are also known to provide a breathable backing layer, such as a breathable polymer film or nonwoven web backing layer. Generally, such backing layers are fluid impermeable, vapor permeable layers that allow the exchange of vapor while preventing the soiling of the user's garments. For example, U.S. Pat. No. 4,059,114 issued to Richards on Nov. 22, 1977, discloses a disposable garment shield having a moisture barrier ply constructed of a blown microfiber web which is fluid impermeable but vapor permeable. Also, U.S. Pat. No. 4,681,587 4,681,578 issued to Anderson et al. on July 21, 1987 discloses an absorbent article such as a pantiliner provided with at least one ventilation area which allows the passage of vapor to provide cooling and drying effects so that the pantiliner is more comfortable to wear."

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 10, with the following amended paragraph:

The pantiliner has two end regions 12 and 14 and a middle region 16. The pantiliner 10 has a body-facing side 15 that is in contact with the use's body and a garment facing 17 side that is in contact with the inner surface of the user' undergarment. The garment facing side 17 can have thereon pressure sensitive adhesive 13 (not shown) for affixing to a wearer's undergarments. Typically, such adhesive is covered with a release strip which is removed before affixing to the undergarment.